

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION

INTERIM APPLICATION (LODG.) NO. 32424 OF 2025
IN
SUIT (LODG.) NO. 30688 OF 2025

Malabar Gold and Diamonds Ltd. }Applicant

: Versus :

Meta Platforms Inc (Operating Digital
Platforms Such as Instagram, Facebook
and Whatsapp) }....Defendant

Mr. Amrut Joshi with Mr. Premalal Krishnan, Mr. Uazad Udwadia, Ms. Rehmat Lokhandwala and Mr. Abuzar Khan i/b. Pan India Legal, for the Applicant.

Mr. Varun Pathak with Ms. Ameer Rama, Mr. Harit Lakhani, Mr. Vishesh Sharma, Ms. Richa Bharti and Ms. Anannya Gogoi i/b. Shardul Amarchand Mangaldas & Co., for Defendant No.1.

Mr. Sharan Jagtiani, Senior Advocate with Mr. Sumeet Nankani and Mr. Rohil Bandekar i/b. Ms. Meenaz Kakalia, for Defendant No.2.

Ms. Tanvi Rana i/b. Economic Laws Practice for Defendant No.3.

Mr. Vikrant Parshurami, AGP for State-Defendant No.10.

CORAM : SANDEEP V. MARNE, J.

DATED : 14 OCTOBER 2025.

P.C. :

1) Mr. Joshi, the learned counsel appearing for the Plaintiff submits that the URL of the tweet at Exhibit-C to Interim Application (Lodg.) No. 32424/2025 shall be provided to Defendant No.2 during the course of the day. Defendant No.2 is directed to remove the tweet at Exhibit-C by 15 October 2025.

2) Mr. Jagtiani, the learned counsel appearing for Defendant No.2 seeks and is granted time of two weeks to file Affidavit-in-Reply to both the Interim Applications. Liberty to the Plaintiff to file Affidavit-in-Rejoinder within one week thereafter.

3) List both the Interim Application alongwith Interim Application (Lodg.) No.30690/2025 on **17 November 2025**. Ad-interim relief granted earlier shall continue to operate till the next date.

4) Mr. Jagtiani, would submit that so far as direction in para-6(i) of the order dated 29 September 2025 is concerned, Defendant No.2 subject to its rights and contentions shall comply with the same on/or before 18 October 2025.

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